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Turin, September 20, N. S.

THE 15th Instant in the Night the Mint accidentally took Fire, and was almost consumed before it could be extinguished: The Gold and Silver was saved, but the Flames seized upon a Warehouse of Silk and Logwood with such Violence, that it was presently destroyed. Last Week the Count de Sales, who was lately recalled from his Post of Governour of Savoy, made his Escape from his Country House at Vineuf, whither he had retired by his Majesty's Orders, having been accused of permitting some Merchants to pass the Barriers during the Plague in France. The 18th Instant his Sardinian Majesty with the Prince and Princess of Piedmont arrived at Rivoli from Savoy, upon which Occasion there was the same Evening a fine Firework; and Yesterday their Majesties and their Royal Highnesses dined in Publick, and received the congratulatory Compliments of the British Envoy and the Nobility. The Court will in a few Days go to the Veneria, where they propose to pass the Autumn, and it is said will not come hither till towards Christmas, the Small Pox continuing very rife in this Town.

Lisbon, Sept. 26, N. S. The Honourable Mr. Sanderson, the King of Great Britain's Envoy Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, returned hither the 20th Instant from England; and has since received the Compliments of the Chief Nobility and the Foreign Ministers residing here. They write from Cadiz, that Ships are yet expected there from the Honduras and Buenos Ayres, as also Quicksilver Ships, and that together they will be as rich as the Flota lately arrived, which they add is to return in the Spring. The 7th Instant being the Birth-Day of the Queen of Portugal, their Majesties received the Compliments of the Nobility and Foreign Ministers, who had the Honour to kiss their Hands; as had also the Royal Academy of History, which met at Court upon this Occasion; and their Director for the Day, the Marquess de Alegrete, made a very elegant Speech to the Queen. In the Evening there was a Consort of Musick in the King's Apartment. The same Night an Earthquake was felt in this City, and the Country adjacent, but was attended with no ill Effects. On the 13th the Abbot de Eivri, Ambassadour from the most Christian King, arrived at Alda-Galega, a Town on the other Side of the Tagus, and from thence notified his Arrival: And according to the Forms practised in this Court, the Conde de Coculim was sent with the King of Portugal's Barges to receive him and conduct him to his House in this City. Yesterday Morning arrived in this Harbour an Advice Boat in 64 Days from the Bahia, bringing an Account that they are in great want of all sorts of Provisions in that Part of Brazile: And in the Evening three Maltese Men of War, that have been cruising some Weeks past upon this Coast, came into this Port, in order to take on Board Dom Sancho Manoel Nephew to the Grand Master of Malta, and proceed with him thither.

Madrid, Sept. 25, N. S. The Queen Widow recovers daily of the Small Pox, so that it is thought she will be well enough in a short Time to be able to walk in the Gardens of the Retiro for the Benefit of the Air.

Kensington, October 1.

This Day His Majesty returned hither in good Health (God be praised) from Windsor.

Notice is hereby given, That the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the County of Middlesex will be holden at Hicks-Hall in St. John-Street, on Monday the 12th Day of October Instant, and the remaining Part of that Week; where Persons residing in Middlesex (who are obliged to take the Oaths in Pursuance of the Acts of Parliament in that behalf made, and have not already taken the same) may have an Opportunity of taking the said Oaths in the Forenoon of each Day in that Week, the Time for taking the aforesaid Oaths being enlarged by Act of Parliament until the 28th Day of November next.

ViQualling-Office, Sept. 30, 1724.

The Commissioners for ViQualling His Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on the following Days in the Forenoons they shall be ready to receive Proposals and treat with such Persons as are inclinable to furnish Oxen and Hogs at the Ports hereafter mentioned, for the Service of His Majesty's Navy.

Friday the 23d of October, for London.

Monday the 26th of October, for Portsmouth.

London Assurance-House, Oct. 2, 1724.

The Court of Directors do hereby give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Cornhill, on Friday the 9th of this Instant October, at Eleven in the Forenoon, to consider of a Dividend.

Westminster Insurance Office, Sept. 17, 1724.

The Directors of the said Office do hereby give Notice, That a Half Yearly General Meeting of the Contributors will be held at their Office at Tom's Coffee-house in St. Martin's-Lane, near Charing-Cross, on Thursday the 8th Day of October, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, for Electing Directors for the Year ensuing, and for Dispatch of other Business relating to the Society. Printed Lists of all the Insurers Names will be delivered out to those who call for them at the Office on Monday next.

James Swilt, Cl.

The Committee for Letting the City's Lands in the Account of the Chamberlain of the City of London give Notice, That they intend to Lett for building by one or more Lease or Leases, a large Piece or Parcel of Ground, and several Messuages or Tenements erected on Part thereof, and several Yards and Gardens belonging to the said Messuages, which said Piece or Parcel of Ground is commonly called or known by the Name of Petty-France in Moorfields; together with five Messuages or Tenements in Wormwood-street, fronting Broad-street, and Liberty of taking down all or any of the said five Messuages or Tenements, and Part of the City's Wall behind the same, to make a Way or Passage into Petty-France aforesaid: And that the said Committee will sit in the Council-Chamber of the Guildhall, London, on Wednesday the 21st Day of October Instant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, to receive Proposals for the same; of which more particular Information may be had, and a Plan of the Premises seen, at the Comptroller's-Office in the Guildhall aforesaid.

Advertisements.

Diserted lately out of the Honourable Colonel John Pollott's Company, in His Majesty's Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards, commanded by the Right Honourable Richard Earl of Scarborough, John White, Husbandman, born at Pedderton in Somersetshire, 25 Years of Age, 5 Foot 10 Inches and an half high, round visaged, a fresh Complexion, with a Mole on his Right Cheek near his Mouth, and his own lank brown Hair. John Massey, by Trade a Shoemaker, 24 Years of Age, born at Chatterly near Dunstable in Bedfordshire, 5 Foot 10 Inches and half high, round visaged, his own light brown lank Hair; has lived for some Years past at Lee in Essex, and sometimes play on the Violin for a living. John Williams, born in Cardiganshire in Wales, a Sawyer by Trade, 36 Years of Age, 6 Foot 1 Inch high, short light Hair, and bald on the Crown.